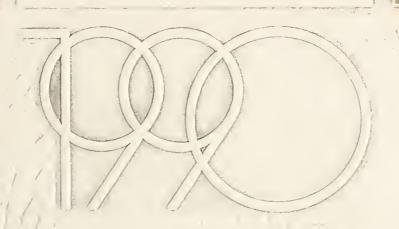
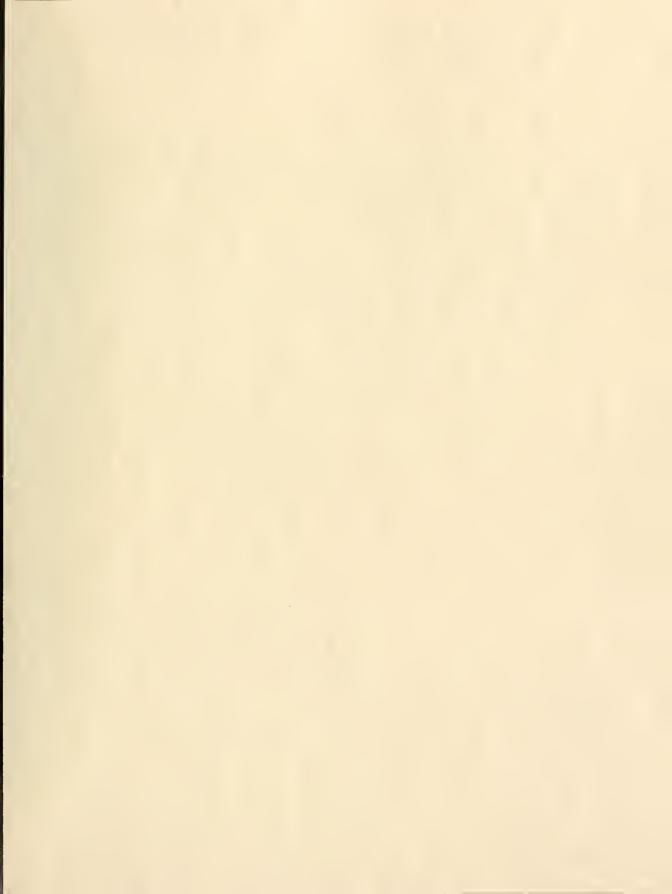
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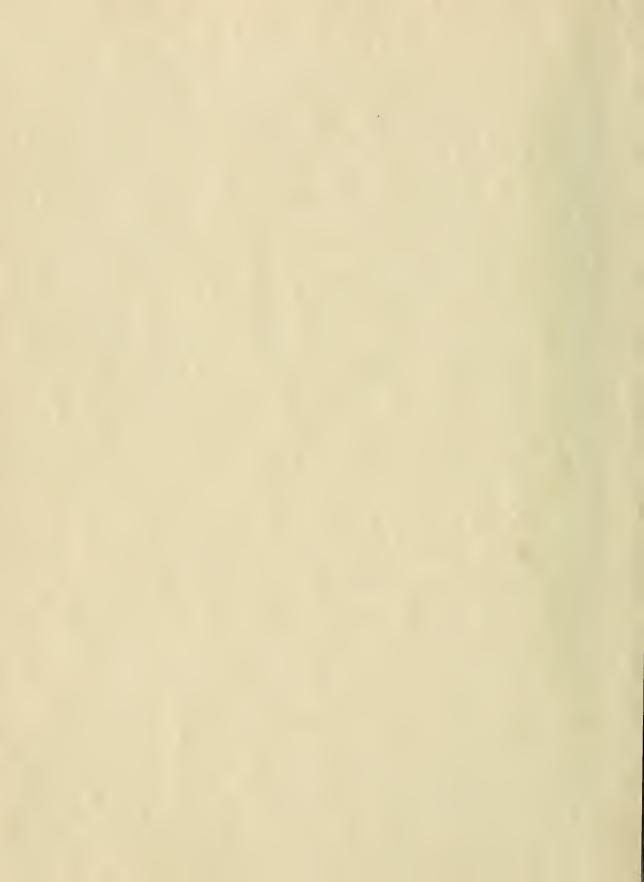


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## DENTAL COLUMBIAN 1990

## The Wonder Years

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## The Wonder Years

The experience of dental school was enlightening, exciting, a time of personal growth, self evaluation, and self doubt. Challenges rivaled only by the years to come. From this mix of emotions comes the theme for our yearbook which we feel best describes this period of our lives ... THE WONDER NEARS... As summer drew to a close before that first year, I can remember thinking that things would never be the same. This was going to be the last stop in the academic marathon, and I think we all felt the excitement, like a buzz in the air before a race.

The week before classes began saw many goodbyes and good-lucks, and we smiled nervously as the years of preparation had come down to just a few hours

until the first class.

We had many orientation luncheons to attend and as professors and Deans spoke about dentistry and reminisced about their days in dental school 7 scanned that group of students and realized that like it or not 7'd spend the four years with them. But the person 7 did come to know best was myself. Looking back on it now, time never moved so fast, yet so slowly.





SCHOOL OF DENTAL AND ORAL SURGERY

630 West 168th Street

Office of the Dean

September 6, 1989

Dear Class of 1990:

You are the first SDOS graduates of a bright new decade. During the 1990's the pace of society will grow ever greater and more complex as we move closer towards the 21st Century. The profession will require dentists who can lead the way as societal issues become more complicated. Are you ready to be the standard bearers for the profession, reflecting the great Columbia tradition?

The answer to that question is Yes! Your Columbia years have challenged you to educate yourselves to the highest level possible, and you have met that challenge. The faculty have prepared you to understand the need for a professional person to answer problems with caring and high ethical standards, and you have shown us your willingness to do so. These attributes will be the ones which will make you stand out as true professionals and Columbia graduates.

When you reflect back to September 1986 and think about Columbia, remember that the school's goals and yours were one and the same. You wanted a thorough education so you could enter the profession well prepared. successfully achieved that education. Although at times your choice of Columbia meant it would be difficult, by working through those difficulties each of you has grown. We hope that we played an important role in helping you find your individual strengths and talents.

We want you to know that Columbia will continue to be your home. As our brightest and newest alumni, the faculty will always continue to assist you as you face the challenges of professional life.

Please accept my congratulations on your accomplishment and personal best wishes as you begin your careers.

Sincerely yours,

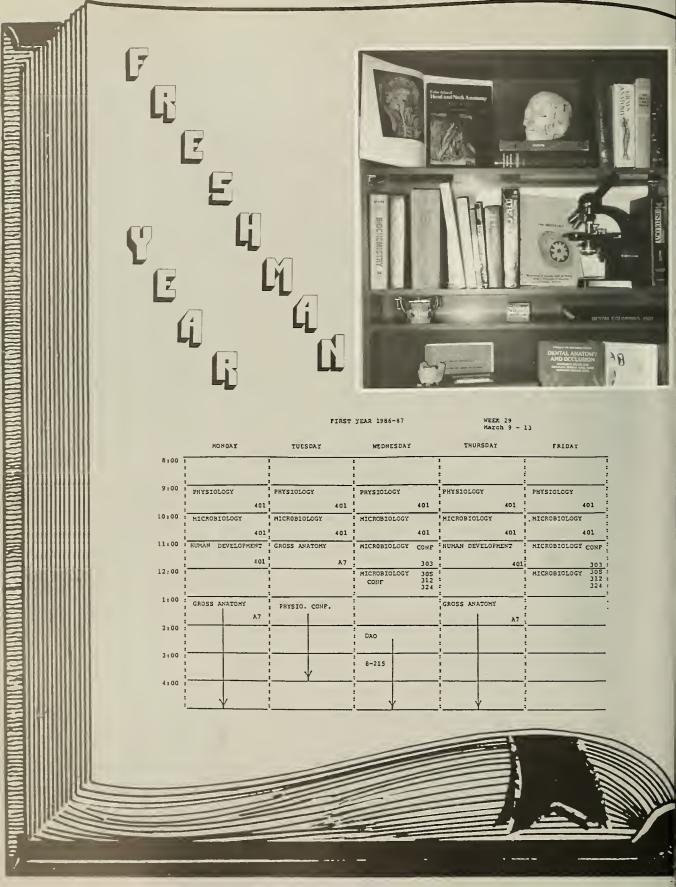
Allan J. Formicola, D.D.S.







Horowitz, D.D.S., Vice Dean (top left). Thomas J. Cangialosi, D.D.S., Associate Dean for Post-Doctoral Education (top right). Ennio Uccellani, D.D.S., Assistant Dean for Clinical Affairs (middle right). Martin J. Davis, D.D.S., Assistant Dean for Student Affairs (bottom right). Jay Wexler, Associate Dean for Administrative Affairs (bottom left). Norman Kahn, D.D.S., Ph. D. Associate Dean for Academic Affairs (middle left).



## Look 70 Your Right, Look 70 Your Left ...

As many of our college friends joined the rat race, we went back to lecture halls and laboratories. Sometimes you felt as though you were back in high school as they called your name for attendance. But nothing made us more different than our working friends, shocked us more or made us more nervous than ANA70MY.

As we broke off into groups of five or so and stood by the body assigned to us I'm sure I had an out-of-body experience. I heard nothing as my eyes fixed on the outline of the cadaver draped in sheets and plastic. The smell of the preservative made my eyes water and stung my sinuses with every breath I took. I could have left the room but there was a morbid curiosity that I think we all felt. I wanted to see a dead person. I wanted to be sure they were really dead. It was a look into the future, I mean nobody escapes death, but I felt so alive at the time I couldn't possibly end up this way. Shouldn't I be trying to have as much fun as possible NOW?

I stared at my cadaver for a while just waiting for it to move so I could say "AHA!" But it never flinched and the days and weeks of the semester moved on and the cadavers became very personal although less "human." I think what made them human left when they died, but lives on in the memories of those who knew them. I'm sorry I never knew the person who was my best teacher.

# FRESHMAN YEAR DR. STEVEN DOTY



We will best remember Dr. Steven Doty for guiding us through one of the most difficult courses of our first year: CBTO. Dr. Doty seemed to have a special interest in the success of the Dental students which he demonstrated in his lectures and lab seminars.

Thank you Dr. Doty for your knowledge, patience and great smile on those long Friday afternoons of first year.

#### IT ALL BEGAN AUGUST 18, 1986 WITH ...

Gross anatomy was intended to provide all future physicians, whatever their eventual fields of specialization, with the opportunity to teach themselves the basic knowledge of the structure and function of the body, a subject matter that has been taught, with ever increasing refinement and accuracy, for the past 2500 years.



Dr. Ernest April, Assoc. Course Director



Dr. Melvin Moss, Course Director



Dr. Singh



Dr. Pham



Dr. Colacino



Mr. Rogers



Dr. Noback



Dr. Ambron





Dr. Allen Gold, Course Director

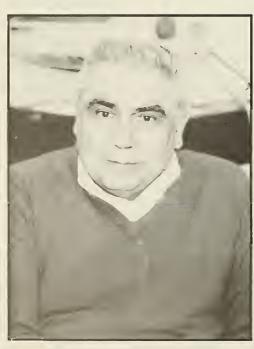
Biochemistry 101 was designed to give you a working knowledge of the chemical processes of the human organism and how some of these are involved in disease. The faculty welcomed you and hoped that you would take advantage of the opportunities provided for discussion and individual help.



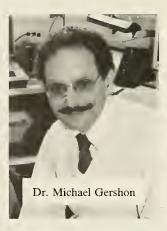
Dr. Alvin Krasna



Dr. Shrinivasin



Dr. Eladio Nunez, Course Director





Cell Biology of Tissues and Organs considered the structural and functional relationship of various cells, tissues and organs based on one simple concept: "All of the tissues and organs of the body are composed of cells and the extracellular products of cells-the matrix." This, then lead to the study of the application of these elements and their relations within the body tissues and organ systems at both the macroand microscopic levels.

Microbiology was a basic course that was taught in three sections; Immunology, Bacteriology and Virology. We attempted to interrelate these disciplines by examining in detail, the genetic basics for the pathogenicity of microbial infections. Accordingly, the course discussed cellular and humoral immunity, bacterial physiology, genetics and pathogenesis and mechanisms of viral replication and disease.



Dr. Charles Young



The central objectives of the course were to assist the students to achieve an understanding of: (1) the functions of specific cells, tissues and organs and the physical and chemical processes which underline these functions, (2) the neural, humoral and local reflexes which coordinate the homeostatic adjustments to perturbations in the external and internal environments, and (3) the need to evaluate the scientific data which underlie our understanding of these processes.



Dr. Mero Nocenti



Dr. Ann Judith Silverman

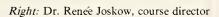
The Course was designed to present an overview of human embryology and development which coincides with the organ systems studied in Gross Anatomy and Cell Biology of Tissues and Organs. Emphasis was on early embryogenesis and it's mechanisms and on development of the nervous, cardiovascular and urogenital systems.



Dr. Myron Winick

Undernutrition can lead to serious deficiencies; overnutrition to disease such as atherosclerosis, hypertension, obesity and even cancer. Nutritional requirements change throughout life and during certain disease states special diets are needed. For health care professionals, a sound knowledge of nutrition will help keep their patients healthy and will aid in treating many illnesses.

Dental Anatomy and Occlusion included lectures and laboratory sessions in oral anatomy, dental morphology and dental occlusion.





Clockwise from left: Drs. Erlinda Benedicto, Andrew Baron, Udo Shutte and Renée Joskow







Top from left to right: Drs. Steven Lepowsky, M. Theresa Benedicto and Gabriela Lee Left: Dr. Marc Rosenblum, course director for Introduction to Dentistry.

## The Wonder Years ...







































### FRESHMAN YEAR IN REVIEW



**CLASS EVENTS (1986-87)** 



**ENGAGEMENTS** 

Gerald Cohen & Mayumi Ikeda (Aug. '87) Zvi Kahane & Deena Press (Aug. '86)

#### **WEDDINGS**

Zvi Kahane & Deena Press (March '87) Lester LeBlanc & Maureen Feerick (June '87) Elliott Weidman & Anita Stern (Aug. '86)

### HISTORY IN THE MAKING

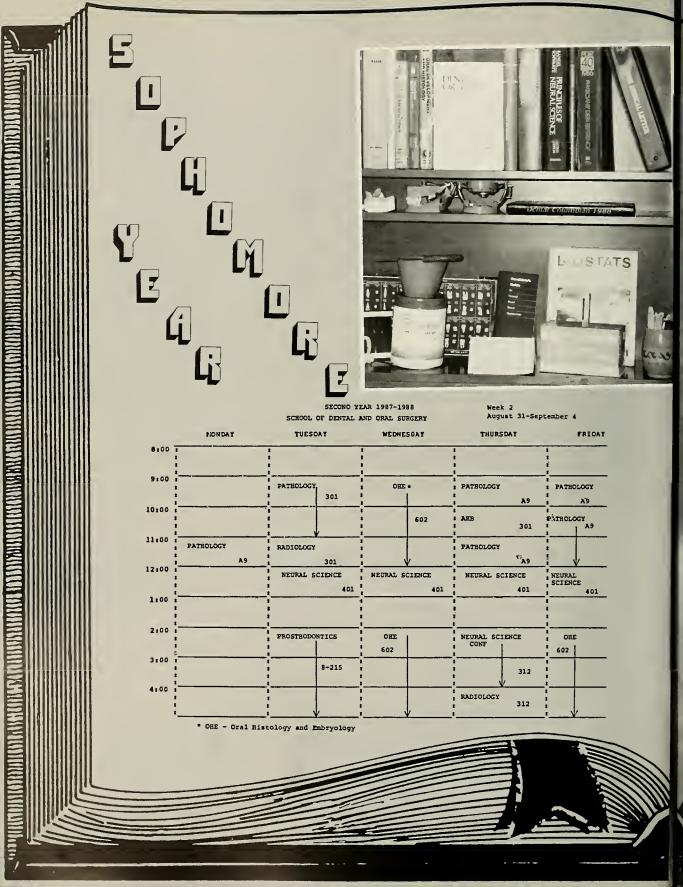


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200th Anniversary of the Constitution



100th Anniversary of the Statue of Liberty



## This Can't Be Happening.

The novelty of the first year is long gone and still I haven't looked into anyone's mouth except my own. Each day ahead promises to be filled with more lectures and slides than an average NATO meeting. During that year we took about 16 courses, seventy exams and 1,000 quizzes. Of course I still had my parents to remind me, "You wanted it" or "It will be worth it some day."

The pressures of second year had a way of exaggerating people's personalities. This was great if they had a good one. However, if not, it was murder to be near some of our treasured classmates around exam time (which was most of the time). I can't remember much that year except how slowly it erawled by and how my parents smiled at me at the end and said "that really went fast, didn't it?"

Well, maybe for them, I guess it did!

## SOPHOMORE YEAR RICHARD LICHTENTHAL, D.D.S.

We began our Sophomore year eagerly but anxiously. Yes, we had made it past our first year; however, the awful reputation of sophomore year hung over our heads and taunted us. Through this dark cloud however did shine the warm sincere smile (and tan!) of Dr. Richard Lichtenthal.

We first met Dr. Lichtenthal in preclinical operative dentistry. At a time when class I cavity preps were a major issue, Dr.Lichtenthal had the patience to show us how and guide us even if it meant holding our hands.

His concern for us did not stop at a cavity prep in sophomore year. He watched for our development in clinic and as future dentists. He frequently checked our operative cards, got us clinic patients and board lesions. He gave many of us the push we needed. "I know you can do it, that's why we picked you!". When the chips seemed low you could always count on Dr. Lichtenthal's advice to be the honest, yet not caustic; encouraging but not misleading.

Dr. Lichtenthal should be recognized as a excellent teacher, a friendly individual and a true leader: for these reasons among many others we congratulate him on his appointment to Chairman of the Department of Operative Dentistry!

We're gonna miss ya! Class of 1990



#### IT ALL BEGAN AUGUST 24, 1987 WITH ...

Pathology, the study of disease, began by examining the principles of general pathology, particularly the characteristics of and pathways leading to cell and tissue changes in inflammation repair and neoplasia. In systemic pathology we examined in detail the pathogenesis, gross and microscopic morphology and complications of disease of the heart, lungs nervous system, kidneys, gastrointestinal tract and much more. Correlations with clinical medicine and physiologic principles were stressed throughout the course.



Dr. Jay Lefkowitch Course Director



Dr. John Fenoglio, Jr. In memory who died August 1989



Mildred Shemish Administrator Coordinator



Dr. Irving Kupfermann Course Director

The overall emphasis of the course was on recent attempts to apply cell and molecular biological techniques to the study of the nervous system, its development, and its control of behavior. We also described those neurological and behavioral disorders that are both instructive scientifically and important clinically.



Dr. Andrew Wit Course Director

Pharmacology taught the basic principles of the science while also preparing students with the vocabulary and information required in the clinical years as well as for future practice. It was a demanding course from which we learned a great deal about drugs and the criteria for evaluating those which will be introduced in the future.

### DRUGS REQUIRED FOR EXAMS (partial list)

#### Sympathetic drugs:

epinephrine norepinephrine isoproterenol dopamine tyramine amphetamine ephedrine phenylephrine terbutaline albuterol phenoxybenzamin phentolamine prazosin yohimbine timolol clonidine methyldopa reserpine guanethidine cocaine imipramine

As noted in syllabus for

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sympathetic lectures

The dental and oral tissues are the substrate of dental practice. For the successful dental professional a detailed enowledge of their development, structure and function are essential.

The principal objective of the course Oral Microscopic Anatomy and Embryology was the acquisition of this knowledge through lectures, laboratories, demonstrations and concerences. Immediate clinical applications were stressed when appropriate. At the completion of this course, the student was able not only to apply this knowledge in the clinical setting, but equally importantly, expand on it by reading the professional iterature knowledgeably.



Dr. Letty Moss-Salentijn Course Director



Class 1990 - Hard at work



Dr. Letty Moss-Salentijn



Dr. Sidney Horowitz



Dr. Marlene Klyvert



Dr. Melvin L. Moss





Dental Auxiliary Utilization consisted of lectures and clinical experience in four-handed, seated dental service delivery; effective utilization of chairside dental assistants; patient and dental team positioning; sequential instrumentation; equipment and space criteria. Coordination of auxiliary utilization techniques with the overall operation of dental facilities; includes an overview of the role of computers in dentistry. (Well so much for computers!)

Dr. David Kaplan Course Director



Tawana, Ethelda, Dorinda





"good use of indirect vision"

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Lectures emphasized organization and financing of health care. Overview of public and private sectors of dental care, with emphasis on third-party insurance, group practice models, peer review and PSRO, manpower, legislation, and projected programs.



Dr. Ardele Wilson

In Introduction to the Patient, small group seminars were designed to help students develop the knowledge, skills, and personal qualities necessary for effective interpersonal communication.



Dr. Lynn Tepper

Lectures included the etiology, histopathology, measurement, and prevention of the plaque disease (caries and periodontal) with emphasis on preventive techniques for improving host resistance.



Dr. Irwin Mandel



This laboratory course consisted of exercises on the fundamentals of operative dentistry, including the etiology of dental caries and the biological approach to the technical procedures in the restoration of teeth. Periods of clinical observation were an integral part of the course.

Dr. Stan Brzustowicz Course Director





Dr. Steven Scrivani Sr.



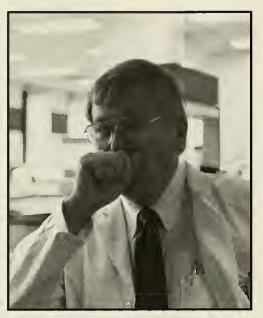
Drs. Daniel O'Connell, Kenneth Lee, Thomas Kilgannon







Above left: Dr. Frank Pandolfo, Above right: Dr. Stanislaw Brzustowicz with class of 1990 in pre-clinical Operative Dentistry. Left: Drs. Stanislaw Brzustowicz, Richard Lichtenthal and Edward Cain, Jr.



Dr. James W. Schweiger

Pre-clinical prosthodontics included lectures, demonstrations, and audiovisual aids on the theory and procedures in the design and fabrication of fixed, removable, and complete prosthesis. In preparation for the clinical performance of prosthodontics, as many procedures as possible were simulated by the students on models in the laboratory.



Dr. Constance Phillips



Drs. Sanford Salz and Joseph Delisi



Dr. Sheldon Abbott



Dr. Robert Wright



Dr. Joseph Delisi



Drs. Udo Shutte and Constance Phillips



Dr. James Murphy





It is my pleasure to be able to write this short (final) note to the Class of 1990 at this exciting time of your lives. You have chosen a profession where you will be serving others - a noble ideal indeed. My remarks are meant in a positive way and will only be appreciated by you in the years to come when you look back on your academic careers at Columbia. You were at a stage in your life when you were like young, undisciplined bulls impatiently chomping at the bit to get on with your lives. Thus you were not really happy that Columbia took you firmly in hand and developed you into people with high professional standards. Yes, even though you did not always like it, you were molded into a professional, well armed with the skills to render a service to your fellow mankind. You will qualify shortly at the School of Dental and Oral Surgery, and will have mastered the basic blocks of the Science. How you mold your lives from this point on depends on yourself and how you use the tools of service, job satisfaction, health and happiness. Please feel free to contact me in the future if you have any problems where you feel I can be of assistance. May you soon all have full appointment books. Best of luck.

Dr. Neill Serman Chairman of Division of Diagnostic Services



Jose Padilla, Mildred Jenkins, Marie Sansone







Dr. Louis Ghisalberti

Second year Periodontics included lectures and seminars n the diagnosis, etiology, and treatment of periodontal lisease, application of basic biologic sciences to the pathogenesis and treatment of periodontal diseases, clinical pracices in examination and documentation of clinical findings n the periodontal patient; prophylaxis, subgingival scaling nd root planing; teaching and motivating patients to perorm personal hygiene. (The first time we saw patients!)



Dr. Murray Schwartz



Dr. Paul Kamen



Marlene Sanchez and Dr. Robert Gottsegen



Dr. Susan Karabin



Preventative Dentistry dealt with the introduction to the clinical setting, techniques of asepsis and infection control, patient/operator positioning and technical use of a dental mirror and explorer. Students also gained clinical experience in performing gingival and oral hygiene indices and applying topical fluoride and pit and fissures sealants.

Dr. Daniel Fine



Dr. Julie Yip



Dr. Gary Cohn and Ms. Sherry Gateman



Dr. Carlos Mendietta



Dr. Lawrence Spindel



Dr. Marlene Klyvert



Dr. Camille DiPaola



Dr. Georgina Zabos



Dr. Lee Adamo



Dr. Louis Mandel, left



Dr. Harold Baurmash



"What do you want now?"



Poster boy for the Salivary Gland Clinic



"Of course it's gonna hurt, I'm pulling your tooth!"



In your profession as a dentist you will often be faced with ENDODONTIC PROBLEMS and you will come to appreciate the importance of endodontics even more than in your student years. Can you imagine clinical dentistry without endodontics? In what's known as the restorative triad, i.e. restorative dentistry, periodontics and endodontics, endodontics is responsible for providing the solid foundation on which restorations are built. This foundation must be solid and of the best quality otherwise the restoration will be like the proverbial castle built on quicksand.

What you have learned about endodontics at school are just the basics. As you go through your clinical career consult with your endodontic colleagues and try to learn more about endodontics for yourself, but most importantly for your patients. Let me quote a famous prosthodontist: "Those who do not take endodontics seriously are not good dentists. I can not think of proper mouth rehabilitation without endodontics". My advice to you is this: Be humble, since you still have a lot to learn, be honest, since you are dealing with human health and strive to do your very best.

Dr. Syngcuk Kim, Acting Director



Dr. Bo Gunnar Hasselgren



Dr. Dory Calev







Clockwise: Dr. Jeffrey Senzer; Drs. Priscilla Konecky, Murray Cantor and Joshua Most; Drs. Bruce Schulman and Charles Solomon; Sarah; and Veronica.







Dr. Robert Cederquist, Director

It is the responsibility of every dentist to have knowledge in diagnostic and treatment procedures which will enable him or her to recognize, classify, differentiate, and assess malocclusions accurately. It has been the objective of your course in orthodontics to provide such knowledge. It is our hope that the courses have given you a high level of awareness of the necessity for consulting with specialty colleagues as a means of coordinating total dental health care.

The orthodontic faculty is confident that the judgment, knowledge, and skills you have gained in orthodontic diagnosis and treatment planning will always be used in the best interest of yours patients. We all wish you the very best in your future careers!!



Dr. Olivier Nicolay



Dr. Malcolm E. Meistrell, Jr.



Dr. Stella Efstratiadis

The Division of Orthodontics encourages dental students to participate in divisional research projects. This can be either clinical or laboratory studies. Presently, two students are involved in a clinical study on the effects on orthodontic extraoral force on the palatal plane.

The postdoctoral students are required to be involved in research and are expected to complete an independent research project under the guidance and supervision of faculty. This is part of their graduation requirements. During the past year the following projects have been completed and presented by students:

— Report of bone and soft tissue morphologic changes following molar uprighting procedures.

— Treatment effects of maxillary protraction by concomitant rapid palatal expansion and intraoral elastic force on skeletal Class III.

 Vertical incisor relationship and its association with myofacial problems of the masticatory muscles.

— Orthodontic bonding: A study of two "no mix" adhesives.

— The proportion of maxillary molar crown height to the vertical dimension from occlusal plane to nasal floor. A statistical comparison of this dimension between panoramic and cephalometric radiographic images.



Dr. Julius Tarshis



Drs. Richard Gliedman, Andrew Davis, Monroe Gliedman and Joseph Comizio.

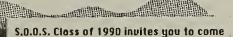


Drs. Marshall B. Fleer and Constance Winslow

Dr. Thomas Cangialosi

# The Wonder Years





#### "Swish & Swallow"

in an after exams party at the Tunnel!

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## MORES AT WORK



















ALL ¢#\$&ED UP!



"Here Jeff catch"



"What a catch"



"I've got it"



"That's not a catch, I'm a catch"







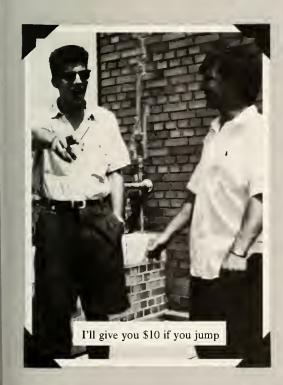




What's the matter, don't you like my cooking?



















## SOPHOMORE YEAR IN REVIEW



### CLASS EVENTS (1987-88)



**ENGAGEMENTS** 

Phillip Epstein & Cathy Russo (Dec. '87) Stacy Sobel & David Weedon (Feb. '88) **WEDDINGS** 

Gerald Cohen & Mayumi Ikeda (Dec. '87) John Purpura & Cynthia DiBartolo (Dec. '87)

**BIRTHS** 

Peter Arena (March 15, '88)



#### HISTORY IN THE MAKING



#### INTERNATIONAL

Lockerbee, Ireland: Bombing of Pan Am



#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

Killing Fields Color of Money Wallstreet



#### NATIONAL

Gary Hart Jimmy Swaggert Jessy Jackson: First Black Presidential candidate Challenger-Jan. 28, 1988 Yellowstone National Park fire Stock Market Crash: Oct. 19, 1987



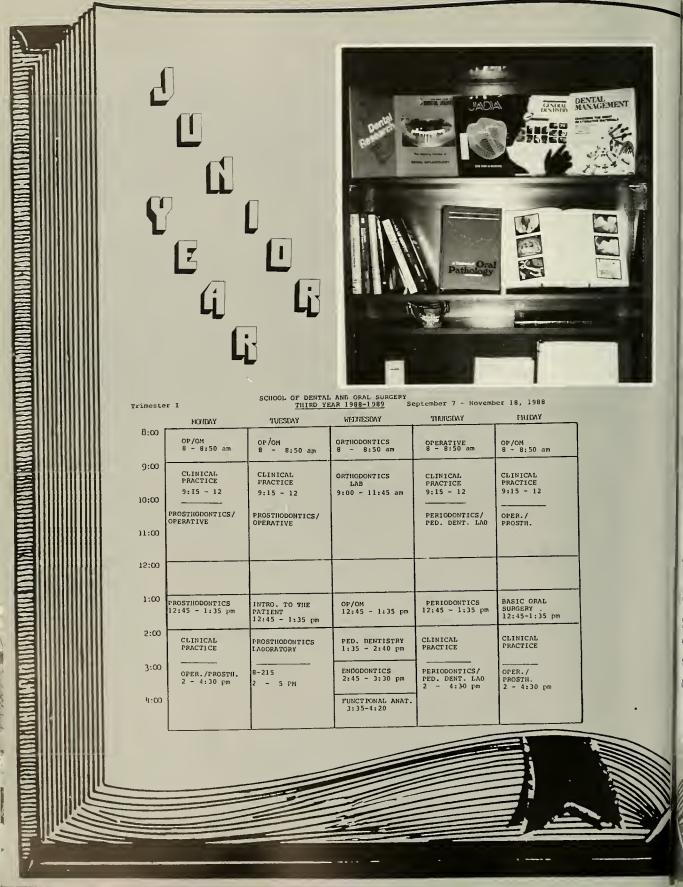
#### **MILESTONES**

Rock Hudson



#### LOCAL

Needles on the beaches



## ¿Habla Inglé?

Welcome to the 3rd year. You will be responsible for calling your patients, greeting them (if they show up), sterilizing your instruments and operatory, treating your patients, assisting yourself (a nice trick if you haven't seen it), dismissing your patients, cleaning up and then repeating the cycle ad nauseum.

I wouldn't want to leave the impression that 3rd year was all bad. Coming on the heels of 2nd year, which robbed us of almost all our free time, the 3rd year was just the opposite. Loaded with free time but generously sprinkled with pesky quizzes, it was what we all needed. This was the year that the runners started running again, the partiers partied again (some never really stopped though), and we all moved in our own directions. Some became parents, others got married, and the rest of us were single and loving it.

In the clinic some caught on more quickly than others. Some who did well in the lecture courses turned out to be clinical clods-but they were trainable. We learned more than just oral pathology, prosthetics and operative dentistry. We had to apply these subjects to human beings. We experienced frustration with squirming children, unruly tongues, oceans of saliva and wrestled with a force so great it could only be the rubber dam. Somewhere in most everyone's mind could be heard at one time or another the question "Is this really for me?" But we were already committed and had pressed toward the 4th year which would hold the answer.

# JUNIOR YEAR DAVID J. ZEGARELLI, D.D.S.

Memories of Junior Year largely revolved around one class and one man. We were spoon fed information for National Boards and NERBS. The entire Class of 1990 thinks Dr. David Zegarelli deserves more than just a "pat on the back" for the wonderful job he did to prepare us not only for our grueling fourth year exams, but for our entire future as clinicians.

You were there every morning prepared with carousels of slides, detailed handouts, and of course, how could we forget . . . your course syllabus with its 336 microscopic kodachromes compiled into microfiche cards. The Class of 1990 voted Dr. David Zegarelli into the category of favorites. Thank you for being enthusiastic enough to make Oral Pathology what it was!



#### DON'T PAT YOURSELF ON THE BACK

Ielanotic Neuroectodermal Tumor of Infancy- "If you see just one of these cases in your illustrious careers of 30 ears . . . that's a lot."

I've seen 6, but that's the type of specialty practice I'm in. In a University setting like this, THEY come to see ie."

You have GP's down here ... and they'll refer the cases to the oral surgeons over here ... for a biopsy ....... nd then there is me up here ... on top of the pyramid."

Vith regards to Board questions- "And if you get this question right, don't pat yourself on the back because 9.9999999% of the country will get it right also."

If I say lymphoepithelial cyste ... you say FLOOR OF THE MOUTH."

If I say epidermoid or dermoid cyste ... you say FLOOR OF MOUTH, AT THE MIDLINE, WHERE RIGHT IEETS LEFT."

Have the patient back in 10 days and the lesion will heal itself and you'll look like a hero."

The NERBS are based on 1 grade. If your above 75 you pass, below, you fail. Simple as that!"

You guys will definitely see Ameloblastoma on the Boards. Although it is the most popular lesion in the literature, us lesion is rare."

Islands of odontogenic epithelium with peripheral palisading of cells and an inner stellsate reticulum appearance."

So keep that in mind when you see a radiolucency in the posterior manduble of an 18 year old male."

1 regards to a treatment of a Staphne Bone Cyste- "Leave it Alone."

One wart = one papilloma."



Dr. Wayne Maibaum

Congratulations to the Class of 1990 upon completior of your undergraduate dental education! As you noticed from your rotations in the Rapid Evaluation Unit (re Ora Diagnosis Clinic), the role of the dental school in serving our patients is changing. This is in response to the changing needs of society and demands made on our profession.

I hope you take with you the message that our profes sion is a dynamic one that must continually adapt to the changing needs of our patients. Your experiences a Columbia have given you a foundation upon which to build your careers.

Continue to grow and evaluate (rapidly or otherwise your role as a dentist to better meet the needs of the future Best of Luck!



Drs. Winston Wen-Jong Chen and Peter Zegarelli



Drs. Robert Crowley and Steven Singer



Dr. Steven Singer



Dr. David Zegarelli



Drs. Stephen Stambler and Harold Darwin



Marlene Poskitt



Drs. Karmiol, Darwin, Schiff and Peter Zegarelli



Dr. Peter Zegarelli



Dr. Richard M. Lichtenthal Chairman, Division Of Operative Dentistry

The faculty of the Division of Operative Dentistry extend our very best wishes to the Class of 1990.

We have tried to give you a sound foundation in basic Operative Dentistry. Your dental education was a cooper ative effort. It worked best when you contributed to it. We hope we have given you the opportunity and encourage ment to strive for professional excellence. Your education will neither succeed nor fail simply because of what you did or did not do in school. It will depend, however, or how you use that experience to grow as a professional.

We hope that we have increased your motivation and ability to continue to learn after graduation. Most learning occurs outside of the classroom and we hope you will us the principles learned at Columbia to evaluate, and us ethically, all of the information that will become available in the years ahead.

Most of all, we hope that you will become good people good husbands and wives, good fathers and mothers, goo sons and daughters, and good friends.

We hope that you will not forget us; that you wi maintain a relationship with the dental school, and the you will help to make our school grow and prosper.

We wish you prosperity, health and happiness.



Drs. Steven Lepowsky and Laureen Zubiaurre



Drs. Victor Bruzzi, Henry Chang, Steven Kornhaber, Richard Greenberg







Dr. Renée Joskow



Dr. Steven Scrivani Sr.



Dr. Steven Scrivani



Dr. Thomas Kilgannon



Drs. Bernard Keller and Frank Mellana



Dr. Edward Cain Jr.



Drs. George Rudensky and Gerald Finke



Renee Sonneberg



Dr. James W. Schweiger Chairman, Division of Prosthetics

The Class of 1990 will be called upon to cope with ar expanded array of social issues and scientific advances in the coming decade. You will be confronted with a society that is more knowledgeable about health care and has greater expectations. The Class of 1990 will be the van guard of a revolution in technology.

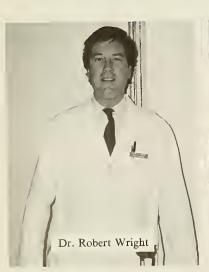
As shifting demographics in society at large dictate nev approaches to dental care, the profession will be challenged to seek a broader spectrum of treatment modalities. Many of these modalities will have an immediate and salubrious effect on the quality of life of the patient both

in terms of physical function and self-esteem.

Prosthodontics constitutes one of the largest and one of the most complex branches of dentistry. This practic specialty requires a delicate synthesis of both anestheti and medical considerations. From its inception, restorative treatment has played a major role in the practice of dentistry. The advancements in prosthetic principle concepts and practices as first described by Pierr Fauchard in the 18th Century were the beginning of modern dental prostheses. This began an era that was a see significant advances and innovative treatment from high speed rotary instrumentation for tooth preparation advances in biomaterials and mechanics. This precipitate the design and fabrication of all types of fixed, removable and maxillofacial protheses.

The Class of 1990 will be a part of the development sophisticated techniques which will require them to u entire repertoire of their theoretical, clinical and scientis skills. It is our hope that the 1990 Graduates of Columb will meet the challenge and continue both to support at to enhance the meaning of prosthodontics that has be

established by their predecessors.







Drs. Robert Lazaroff, Anthony Curinga, Louis Rubins, and Fred Tripodi





Dr. Ted Sewich



Gerald Cohen and Dr. Sanford Salz



Drs. Joseph Gaudio and Edwin Lee



Dr. Arthur Krinsky



Left: Dr. Anthony Curinga



Left: Dr. Stephen Chu and Judy Blazer



Dr. Carlos Mendieta



Drs. Michael Savin and Edward Roth



Drs. Fran McEntee and Victor Lin



Dr. Shari Klein



Dr. Robert Knepper



Dr. Ben Chi-Shi Yeh

Right: Drs. Gregg Caserta and James Fine Below: Drs. Shari Klein and Susan Karabin









Above: Dr. David Pitman Left: Dr. Peter Wang



The faculty of the Division of Pediatric Dentistry is pleased to extend congratulations and best wishes to the Class of 1990. We have enjoyed having you with us and are proud to welcome you as our newest professional colleagues.

Just as children are society's hope for the future, you represent our hope for the future of our profession. We have taught you to apply recent technological advances to the practice of dentistry for children, but the science of dentistry is changing very rapidly, and soon what you have learned will be outdated. Keeping current with dental research will be both your responsibility and the key to your success in the future.

We hope you will use the skills you have developed and the knowledge you have attained to provide your child patients with positive dental experience and a high level of oral health. We also hope that you never stop questioning and thinking as we mutually strive to improve oral health for patients of all ages.

Congratulations!

Dr. Heidi L. Hills Chairman, Division of Pediatric Dentistry



Dr. Martin Davis



Drs. Purnima Rathe, Lois Jackson and Guy Metcalf









Dr. Margot Jaffe



Drs. Purnima Rathe and David Fleitas



above: Drs. Jedd Best and Bruce Greenberg







above: Mrs. Julie Brown



Wednesday, 9:00 a.m., Orthodontics seminar with Dr. Gliedman



Drs. Joseph Comizio, Richard Gliedman, Monroe Gliedman and Andrew Davis



Dr. Bruce Greenberg



Dr. Scott Brustein



Dr. Joseph Ciccio



Dr. John Sopchak

Facial pain and temporomandibular joint disease inluded various aspects of facial pain and its diagnosis and reatment. Emphasis is placed on temporomandibular oint dysfunction and disease.



Gerald Cohen helps out.



Dr. Irving Kittay



Dr. Mona McAlarney with Chia Kessler



Dr. Mona McAlarney, Course Director

Dental materials focused on the theoretical and practical aspects of material selection and utilization in clinical dentistry.



Dr. Steven M. Roser, Course Director

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

The faculty and Staff of the Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery are delighted to have been part of the educational process that has resulted in the matriculation of the Class of 1990.

We collectively wish each of the graduation class good luck and success for the future and are proud to welcome the class into the profession as colleagues.

We hope that the flame of learning kindled during the last four years will continue to burn brightly within each member of the class and serve as the fuel to propel each of you to the pinnacle of success in whatever you choose to do in dentistry.

Steven M. Roser, D.M.D., M.D.



Dr. Howard A. Israel



Dr. Salvatore Napoli



Dr. Harold D. Baurmash



Drs. Matt Brown and Peter Wang



Dr. Louis Mandel



Cathy, Amy, Eileen and Bernice



Drs. Louis Mandel and Andrew Zeidman



Eileen with Drs. Harold Baurmash and Gary Stern



Dr. Steven Roser



Drs. Bill McMunn, Harold Baurmash, and Peter Wang



Doris Aponte and Yolette Barthelemy



Francine



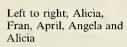
Violet



Danny



April and Karen









Walter







"Here's to the Class of 1990"

Serain



"Those seniors run me ragged!"

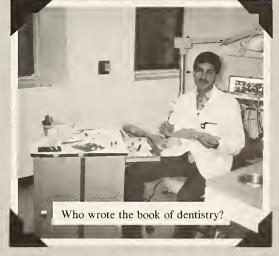
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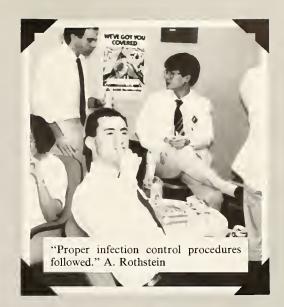






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# DENTAL STUDENT





























































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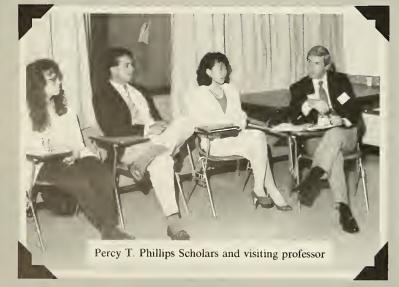


### **BIRNBERG'S DAY**













THE PERCY T. PHILLIPS VISITING PROFESSORSHIP

SPONSORED BY THE DENTAL SOCIETY OF THE STATE DF NEW YORK, AND

THE SCHOOL OF DENTAL AND ORAL SURGERY COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

#### DR. THOMAS J. GINLEY

Thomas J. Ginley, B.S., M.A., Ph.D. (Loyola University in Chicago), Percy T. Phillips Visiting Professor for 1988–1989, is Executive Director of the American Dental Association and has been with the Association for 25 years.

## JUNIOR YEAR IN REVIEW

#### **CLASS EVENTS (1988-89)**



#### **ENGAGEMENTS**

Tom Bazdekis & Maria Ocasio (May '89) Nancy Karger & Zakai Aharon (Aug. '88) Barbara Kimmel & Eric Cherches (Dec. '88) John Lee & Suk Ki Lee (March '89) Alan Rothstein & Sherri Berger (Nov. '88)

#### WEDDINGS

Tom Barrios & Barbara Gonzalez (Aug. '88) Nancy Karger & Zakai Aharon (Dec. '88)

#### **BIRTHS**

Ayelet Kahane (Oct. '88) Derek Shang (Jan. 19, '89)

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Percy T. Phillips Award given to Neil Capolongo and Jessica Chung



#### HISTORY IN THE MAKING



#### INTERNATIONAL

Soeul, Korea: Olympics Ayatullah Khomeni-June 6 Satanic Verses by Salman Rushdie



#### **MILESTONES**

Jackie Gleason Fred Astaire Andy Warhol

SDOS



#### NATIONAL

Bush succeeds Reagan-Feb. '89 Dan Quayle

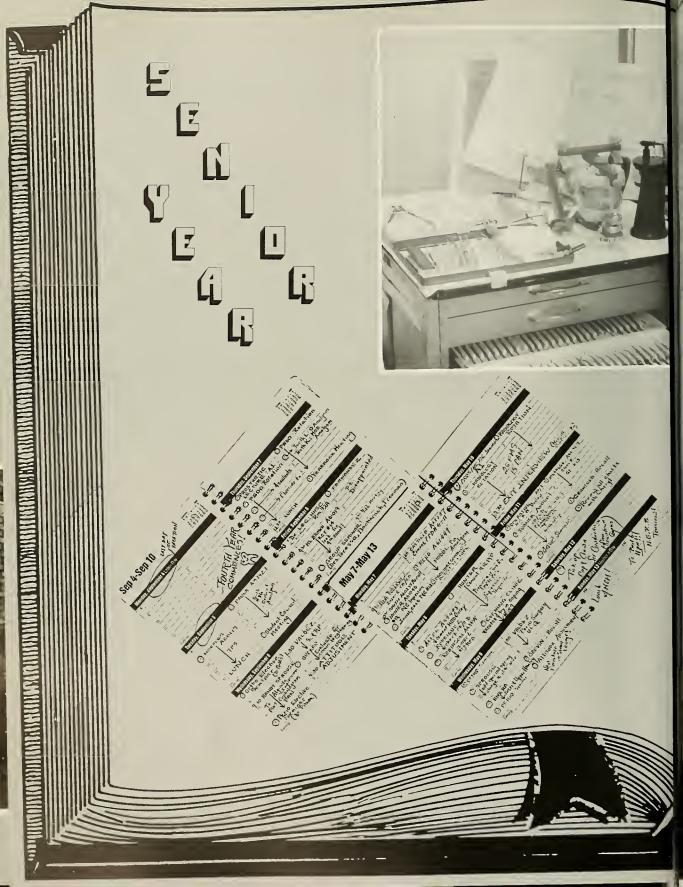


PEW Grant Cancer Training "Abra la boca" "Donde le duele?"



#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

Last Emperor One More Try by George Michael: #1 Pop song





The fourth year crept in slowly without much change except a move to the seventh floor, which is really the sixth floor ... but that's another story. As the weeks (we measured time in weeks now) passed by we had a false feeling that there was plenty of time. For those unfamiliar with the rigors of dental school, there is a Chinese-menu approach to the requirements for graduation. It is also agreed that in and of themselves, these requirements, for which we have two years to complete are not so lofty until you begin subtracting time lost to rotations, electives, and other bothersome obstacles. Let's say we have two clinical years to complete these requirements. This translates roughly into 19 months since the Senior year ends in May and we had a month vacation in Junior year. So 19 months

minus 1 month Radiology (minus more time if you had to retake films lost, misplaced or thrown out by accident)

minus 3 weeks Oral Surgery (No Way Out!)

minus 1 month Oral Diagnosis (minus less time if you treated patients on the sly but double that time if you got caught by Marlene)

minus 6 weeks Externship (actual time lost varies according to individual)

minus 1 month spent searching for stolen, lost, broken or borrowed instruments.

minus 1 month spent waiting for hospital elevators

minus 1 month Wednesday elective

minus 2 months Pedo

minus 2 weeks waiting for Gus to decide what to have with his coffee

minus 3 months for redo's

minus 2 weeks searching for charts lost in Oral Surgery

minus 2 months waiting for instructors to figure out 3-down and 5-across

This leaves 1 month actual clinic time to complete junior and senior clinical requirements.

So as we stand at graduation we can be proud of ourselves for having beat the odds and surprising even ourselves. Behind each broad smile that day was a sense of accomplishment so great that for those of you who still don't understand, it can only be said "You just had to be there."

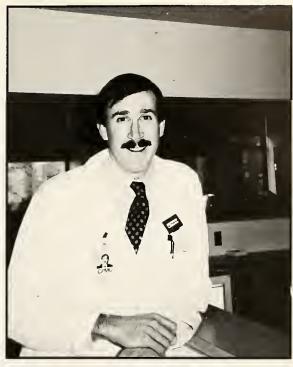
# SENIOR YEAR Lucius Battle, D.D.S.

We wish to express the warmest, most sincere THANKS to Dr. Lucius Battle. You gave up lunches stayed late and would always pop down from the 9th floor to make sure we were alright. You always sat by our side until the job was done. Without you, the majority of our class would not have completed our requirements. Without you, we would have floundered. You always knew exactly how to fix things that had gone awry. If we ever needed to find you, we would just look for the crowd of students who constantly surrounded you.

Throughout the year we got to know you quite well. Your patience, understanding, gentleness, and good nature were endless. Your sense of humor and candor were refreshing. We were privileged to hear your words of wisdom not only in regard to prosthodontics but in regard to life as well. We hear about your adventures in speed-boat racing, car racing, motorcycle racing and flying. You are one whitruly enjoys life. We hope that some of your personal characteristics have rubbed off on us. Thank you for caring so much!



The diagnosis and treatment of the periodontal disease will change framatically during the next decade. Basic research in periodontology has for many years examined such issues as the nature of the microorganisms hat comprise the subgingival flora, how the various host immune and nflammatory systems react to the microbial change and cell biology of the periodontal tissues. We are entering an era when this research will yield clinically applicable procedures and techniques. Novel antimicrobial strategies are being developed to bring agents in direct contact with the local esion without the adverse side effects of systemic administration. New ntibiotics are being tested for their effect on periodontal infections. dicrobial and biochemical diagnosis of different forms of periodontal liseases is currently a reality, and this is one area that will experience normous growth during the next few years. Lastly, surgical procedures to aduce regeneration of lost periodontium are now a reality, and new echniques involving the use of specific growth factors will soon follow. Vevertheless, the appropriate use of these techniques and procedures epends upon our awareness of the clinical signs and symptoms of eriodontal disease. A thorough periodontal evaluation should be part of Il dental examinations. As patients live longer, and retain their natural entition for longer periods of time, more teeth will be at risk for evelopment of periodontal disease. The challenge is to utilize and blend oth classical and new diagnostic and therapeutic regimes into individual eatment plans for our patients.



Dr. Ira Lamster Chairman, Division of Periodontics



Marlene



Dr. James Fine



Dr. Susan Karabin



Drs. Fran McEntee and Victor Lin



Dr. Peter Wang



Dr. Richard Lichtenthal



Dr. Roger Santise



Dr. Frank Mellana



Dr. Gerald Finke



Drs David Zipkowitz and Louis Ghisalberti



Dr. Stanley Sadles



Drs. Jacqueline Crane and Frank Mellana



Drs. Bernard Keller and Stanislaw Brzustowicz



Dr. George Rudensky



Dr. Susan Chen



Dr. Richard Low



Dr. Alvin Boyd



Dr. Vincent Petrazzuolo



Dr. Virginia Mitchel



Yin Yin and the dynamic Trio



Dr. John Bacharach



Dr. Lucius Battle



Dr. James Schweiger



Dr. Louis Rubins



Dr. Udo Shutte



Dr. Jules Hoffman



Dr. Jerome Zane



Drs. Stanley Freeman and Dante Torrese



Dr. James Abjanich



Dr. Sanford Salz



Angela

#### **PERIODONTICS**



Above: James Fine Right: Drs. Greg Casserta, David Pitman and Lawrence Delibero







Pictured above: Maralee G. Guhl, P.T., Drs. Howard Israel, Martin Blitzer, Steven Syrop, Robert Klotz and Robert McMullen





#### **ENDODONTICS**

Right: Dr. Jack Levi, Director of the Endodontic Elective. (Also 10t pictured: Drs. Johan The, Bruce Schulman, and Gerald 3esen)



#### **ORTHODONTICS**

Left: Drs. Eric Gibbs and Rekha Gehani.



Above: Dr. Daniel Epstein and son Phillip Esptein.

Left: Drs. Frank Pagano, Robert Miner and Daniel Epstein.

**PROSTHODONTICS** 





Dr. Ronnie Myers

The area of dental care for the patient with special needs continues to grow. The percentage of our patient population that is living longer with more medical problems physical and mental disabilities is increasing. In the Special Dental Service area of hospital dentistry, student are exposed to this patient population. They becominvolved in evaluation, physical assessment, and the provision of dental care. During this assignment the emphasition of the coordination of overall health care and its impacton oral health. Revisions of treatment plans for the patien are based on the physical assessment and dental needs.

The staff of Special Dental Services extends congratulations and well wishes for continued success for the Class of 1990!



Dr. Steven Scrivani, Jr.



Dr. Susan Crawford



Drs. Dean Glasser and Marc Michalowicz; Monica, Margaret and Estella.



A special thanks goes to Ms. Cheryl Ragonisi for occupying our patients when we were not around, giving us patients when we needed them and always listening.



Elias and Gus



"Sorry Gerald no chart at 2 minutes to 10!"









Jose

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#### REMOVABLE

Removable prosthodontic lab: What does it all mean? Pink wax, Beauty wax, and wax that is green, they told us it will all make sense in the grand scheme. Monoplane, 20 degree, 30 degree teeth, that's all well and good but how will my patient eat?







Ms. Louise A. Gayle, M.A., C.D.T.







The smell of burning ivorine is the most overwhelming memory of fixed prosthetic lab. We did not realize how easy preclinic was until we started cutting tooth preparations and keeping a tab.

30 units of fixed never seemed a difficult task until April 1st approached and Dr. Schweiger would ask to see our requirement cards!

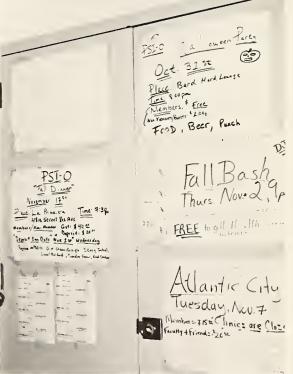


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## The Wonder Years ...









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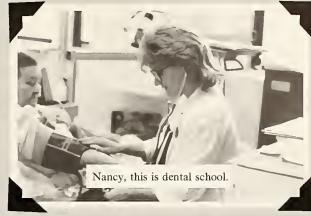










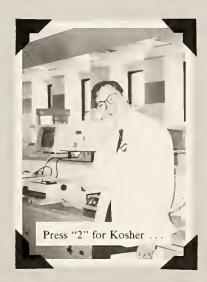




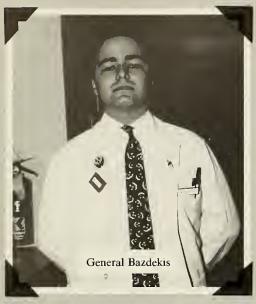


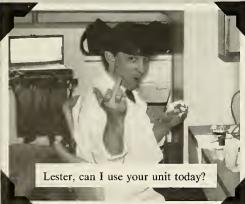














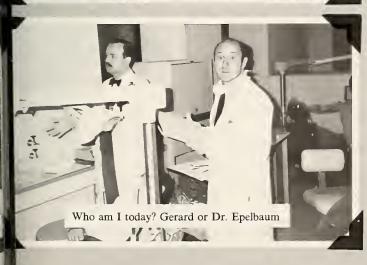






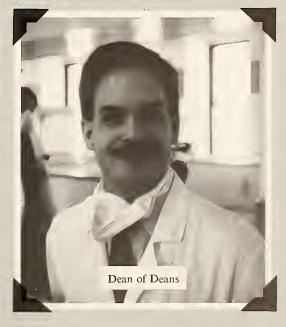


















































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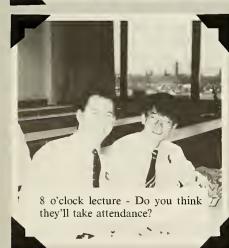


















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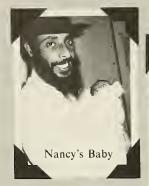


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# special events









Greater New York Dental Meeting Alumni Cocktail Party





U.S. Navy Reserve

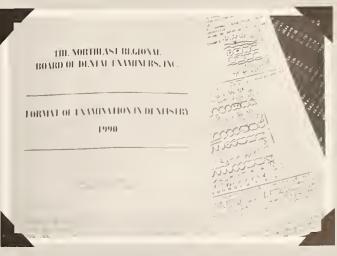


# M.E.Q.E.S.



April 20th, 1990: North East Regional Boards.





# SENIOR YEAR

**CLASS EVENTS (1989-90)** 



Engagements

Neil Capolongo & Gina Lodolini (June '89) Azita Naghavi & Sabeeh Khan (Nov. '89) Bogdan Paunovic & Karen Haeussler (July '89)

Junsung Ha & Jungeon Lee (Feb. '90)

Weddings

Phillip Epstein & Cathy Russo (Aug. '89) Stacy Sobel & David Weedon (July '89) Births

Sarah Aharon (Karger) (Nov. 19, '89) Thomas J. Barrios (Sept. 3, '89)

Achievements

Marianne Gable: NYC Marathon Beth Gavren: NYC Marathon Suzanne Kim: L'EGGS Mini Marathon



#### HISTORY IN THE MAKING



Beijing China Tiananmen Square-June 4, 1989 Berlin Wall: East Berlin Czechoslovakia Hungary Poland Bulgaria Rumania Lithuania Panama invasion Manuel Noreiga Nicaragua Violeta Chamorro defeats Ortega Nelson Mandela

Mikhail Gorbachev
Vaclav Havel
Lech Walesa- Solidarity
Andrei Gromyko
Vladimir Horowitz
Emperor Hirohito
Frank Reed
Robert Polhill
Salvador Dali
Corazon Aquino
Ferdinand Marcos
Ceausescu
Brazilian Rain Forest
Palestinian Unrest
Earth Day



National

Alaska: Exxon Valdez San Francisco Oakland California: 7.1 Richter Scale George Bush

Glasnost/Perestroika

Roe vs. Wade Crack Sales Soar Hurricane Hugo Hubble Telescope

## IN REVIEW



#### Entertainment

Roseanne: #1 TV Show

Rainman: Tom Cruise, Dustin Hoffman New Kids On The Block: #1 Group Look Away by Chicago: #1 Pop song Don't Be Cruel by Bobby Brown: #1 Album

Batman

NBC: Jane Pauley and Deborah Norville

The Rolling Stones reunite

The Who reunite

The Grateful Dead reunite

Arsenio Hall

Oakland A's: World Series Champs

Detroit Pistons

Calgary Flames: Stanley Cup San Francisco '49ers: Super Bowl

Hank Gathers



#### Milestones

Alvin Ailey Lucille Ball Bette Davis (1908-89)

Malcolm Forbes (1919-1990)

Abbie Hoffman

Liberace Billy Martin

Sir Laurence Olivier (1907-89)

Gilda Radner (1946-89) Secretariat (1970-89)

Greta Garbo Jill Ireland

Sammy Davis Jr. (1925-1990) Jim Hensen-Kermit the Frog



#### Local

Central Park Jogger: "Wilding"
David Dinkins
DINC
Arch Bishop O'Connor: Exorcism

Donald Trump/Marla Maples/Ivana Trump

#### Sex

#### **Lies**

#### Video Tapes

Leona Helmsley Pete Rose Zsa Zsa Gabor John Gotti

Jim Bakker

Jessica Hahn

Jim Bakker

Donald Trump

Donald Trump & Marla

& Marla Maples

Maples

Rob Lowe

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#### **SDOS**

PEW Grant

Dr. Martin Davis

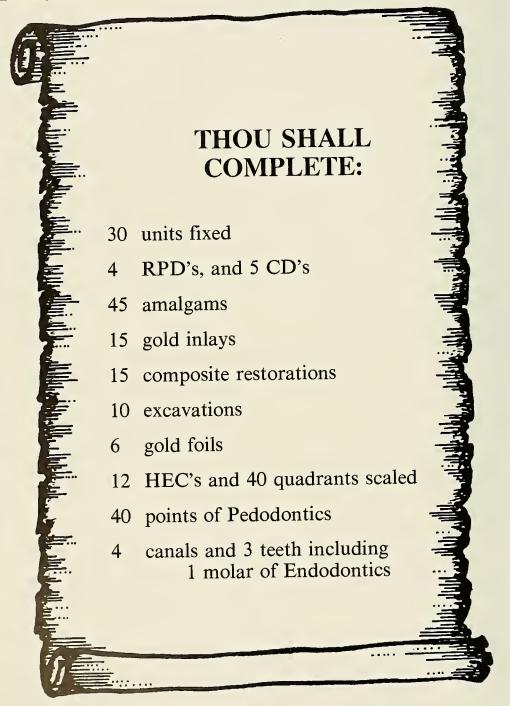
Dr. Heidi Hills

Dr. Richard Lichtenthal

Dr. Norman Kahn

Dr. Thomas J. Cangialosi

# AND SO IT WAS WRITTEN



AND SO IT WAS DONE

(KIND OF)

# PRESENTING CLASS OF 1990



**GRADUATES** 

### LILIANA SOFIA AGUDELO, D.D.S.















## PATRICIA ALVAREZ, D.D.S.











#### JANE FINAN ARENA, D.D.S.

To all those who made this degree possible for me, my gratitude is inexpressible. To my loving parents who gave me vision and encouragement; to my mother and father-in-law whose love and support is constant; to my brothers and sister who never doubted that this day would come; to my wonderful husband who has given me strength, understanding, inspiration and an abundance of love; and to our precious Peter, who makes all things worthwhile — I dedicate my degree with love and affection.









SHEILA BAHADORI, D.D.S.







#### TOMAS J. BARRIOS, D.D.S.

To my classmates and friends, TB & RF: Thank you for your support, understanding and caring. It made these years one surprise after another. I wish you all a successful career in Dentistry. Keep in touch!!





THE WEDDING!



THE HONEYMOON! 16 months later ...



THE BABY! Who said deschool was boring?





### THOMAS J. BAZDEKIS, D.D.S.













"We see so far only because we stand on the shoulders of giants." Sir Isaac Newton



## CALIOPI BOYIATZIS, D.D.S.













#### LIONEL ANGELO BULFORD, D.D.S.

Also known to all his friends as B cell, BOO, L.A., Boomonster, Booman on Campus, Angelo Bulfardo, Train, Dr. Choo-Choo, Lionel, Boozers, Moscow PA, Bull and Rocky. We will always remember you as the man with the most nicknames!!





#### NEIL JOSEPH CAPOLONGO, D.D.S.

Our yearbook would stand incomplete without a description of Neil, our three term class president. Neil will always be remembered by his classmates as a superb leader who united the class and fought for just about anything we asked for and needed. Neil, although a chef at heart, has aspirations of specializing in orthodontics after doing a one year GPR. If you look for Neil after graduation you will find him enjoying his time with his newlywed (ME-Gina) and his one year old puppy-Sammie! Congratulations to the class of 1990.























#### JESSICA M. CHUNG, D.D.S.

To my dear parents: I would like to thank you for your unrelenting support, understanding and love. From you I derived all my strength.

To my aspiring classmates: Fondest wishes for much happiness and success in all your endeavors.

To the wonderful faculty at SDOS: My heartfelt appreciation for your inspiration and guidance in shaping my growth while in dental school.



## GERALD LOUIS COHEN, D.D.S.













JOSEPH LOUIS COSENTINO, D.D.S.



## NANCY COSENZA, D.D.S.













#### JOHN WILLIAM DeMARINO, JR., D.D.S.

Setauket, New York High School: Mercersburg Academy College: Hobart College







#### FREDERICK DONALD DREHER, JR., D.D.S.















HOWARD B. EFRON, D.D.S.



#### SOHEILA POURBOHLOUL-ELAAHI, D.D.S.

Soheila joined Columbia SDOS as an advanced standing student with a D.D.S. degree from National University of Iran and an M.S. degree in Oral Biology from University of Maryland. Most of her time outside clinic is spent on taking care of her family, music, and poetry. Soheila's special care and friendliness always made it easier for the patient to sit in the chair.

















#### GERARD EPELBAUM, M.D., D.D.S.

A Medical Doctor Degree and specialization in stomatology from the Medical University of Paris was not enough. So he came here for a Post Graduate program in periodontics and another D.D.S.

What's next: A practice in periodontics

A special thanks to all my family.







#### PHILIP L. EPSTEIN, D.D.S.

Phil would like to take this opportunity to extend his congratulations to his fellow graduates of the Class of '90, and to wish them all a very happy life and successful career. As a Dentist, Phil will be joining his Dad, Dr. Daniel D. Epstein in their practice. They both are looking forward to working and growing together. Finally, Phil and his wife of one year, Cathy, anticipate a wonderful, fulfilling life of skiing and scuba, family and love. Bon voyage!



















#### RICHARD BRIAN FISHER, D.D.S.

After graduation, Rich plans to enter a General Practice Residency program, hopefully in Westchester County Medical Center. Afterward, he plans to practice in Westchester, NY. His hobbies include bow and rifle hunting, skiing, target shooting, and weight-lifting. Before coming to Columbia SDOS, Rich graduated from Fordham University with a B.S. in Biology in 1986.





















#### MARIANNE GABLE, D.D.S.

Gabe.

Fate had thrown us together about four years ago. We had occupied adjacent seats in many classes and clinic sessions by virtue of the fact that we were both born "G's". Little did I know that when I uttered the phrase "Marianne, ya wanna go for a run?" a few years ago, a unique friendship would develop between the two of us. We've been united through emotions of joy, disappointment, anger, confusion, determination and most importantly humor. We've endured more physical pain than most people will ever know. You are a winner by the sole act of placing yourself at the start of a marathon. It conveys to others and yourself the challenges you aspire to conquer. Congratulations Gabe, and remember "If you will it, it is no dream." See ya at the start next year . . .

Love always, Gav







#### BETH ANN GAVREN, D.D.S.

Occupation: Student. Birthday: July 25, 1962. Home: Minneapolis, Minnesota. Marital Status: single. Favorite color: black. Fav perfume: Fendi. Fav designers: Calvin Klein, Ralph Lauren & Nike. Fav restaurant: The Monte Carlo, Mpls.. Fav vacation spot: Aspen. Nicknames: Boo Boo, Gav, Scarface, The Shadow, The Untouchables. My theme songs at SDOS: "Still Crazy After All These Years" by Paul Simon, "Delerious" by Prince, "Roll With It" by Steve Winwood. If I could do it over I'd: Do it on the West Coast. The worst time of my life: No Comment. Biggest accomplishment: Getting Gabe to run the NYC Marathon. Words to die by: Drop a box, Beth. Words to live by: Expect a miracle. Aspirations: happiness, health, graduate, successful practice, write a best-selling novel, U.S. Senate seat.



, Gav, I'm glad we got that new parking space in the Towers. Now we'll have a place for the new Mercedes. Yeah Gabe, that's nice I was kinda hoping for a Porsche . . .

## SANDRA GARCIA, D.D.S.

















#### JEFFREY ANTHONY GEE, D.D.S.





#### NANCY ANNE GNIZAK, M.S., D.D.S.

Nancy graduated from University of Maryland in 1984 and then received her Master's in Nutrition from Columbia University in 1985. After one year of research at Johns Hopkins University she entered our favorite dental school. Future plans are in the works. Nancy's hobbies include socializing, anything to do with horses, skiing, classical ballet and most importantly, aerobics ... which helped keep her sane while in dental school. Her activities at SDOS included being Editor of both the Alumni Newsletter and the 1990 Dental Columbian. She wishes to thank whole-heartedly the most wonderful parents, sister and brother in the world and her wonderful friends, Rosalie, Suzanne, and Sheila. Nancy would also like to thank the SDOS Class of 1990 for contributing to yearbook. Lastly, Nancy would like to extend her sincere thanks to the SDOS faculty for their compassion and support.







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#### ZVI KAHANE, D.D.S.

March 29th of his freshman year was an exciting day for Zvi for two reasons: The Gross Anatomy practical final was 48 hours old and it was his wedding day. Zvi's wife, Deena, attended some of the few freshman lectures that he went to (maybe even more than he attended). Junior year began with the birth of his daughter, Ayelet Rachel. When Ayelet was 6 weeks old she attended the N.Y. Dental Convention and there began her Muppet toothbrush collection. Zvi is now taking the prosthetic elective. His future plans include a GPR and then General Practice.









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#### SUZANNE HYUN KIM, M.S., D.D.S.

Thanks Mom, Dad, Tommy, Georgie, and Donna for all the love, support and encouragement that you gave me at Vassar and during my Master's program in Nutrition and Dental training at Columbia. To the Class of 1990 and close friends (Wa, Gnizar, Rosalita), BEST OF LUCK in the future and THANKS!! for some very special memories.





ROMANS 8:28 — All good things come to those who wait.

Quietly, but effectively :.. Oh well!











BARBARA F. KIMMEL, D.D.S.



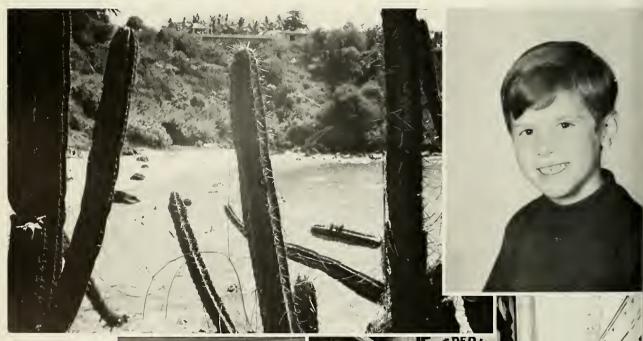






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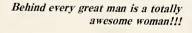


#### LESTER ANDRÉ LeBLANC, D.D.S.

Les, the Cajun from the heart of bayou country down in the depths of Louisiana, added some spicy flavor to our class. The boy will always be remembered for his unique sense of humor and for his incredible drive to finish requirements by Christmas-time. Outside of school, Les could always be found with his lovely bride, Maureen, whom he married just a week after the first-year physiology final. Together, they enjoy long walks along the beach, sailing on their catamaran, camping in the wilderness, snow-skiing down mountains, and simply being together. Les aspires to perform research and teach dentistry on a part-time basis, while maintaining a private practice limited to orthodontics.



Cheers, here's to finding 15 inlays before graduation and to all those wild-n-crazy times at Columbia. On the one hand, I'm glad we're graduating, but on the other hand, I know I'll miss you all. Good luck! May all your dreams come true!





Keeping an open mind about new techniques for conquering mountains or mole hills!!



It's smooth sailing from here ...





JOHN S. LEE, D.D.S.















### SUK KI LEE, D.D.S.











### ELIZABETH LINDER, D.D.S.











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"The Name Says It All, His Style Manifests It All."









#### GINA LODOLINI, D.D.S.

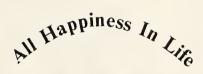
With a name like Gina Lodolini it was no wonder that Gina became known to her closest friends as "G" and Lodo. Gina has also had the exclusive privilege of being crowned the "Pedo Queen" having discovered her pedo niche at SDOS within this past year. But most importantly, she has discovered that Neil Capolongo soon to be the "Ortho King" shall join her in that great adventure we call life. A match truely made in heaven. Here's to you Gina and Neil, may you have a long and prosperous reign. And remember ..... always stock the castle with Haagen Dazs!!!!







ALBERT MAGALIO, D.D.S.





Seins In The Home



#### AZITA NAGHAVI, D.D.S.

The warmth and support of my loved ones, my family and fiance, made these years a beautiful part of my life, memories which I will cherish forever.













DEVIN JOSEPH OKAY, D.D.S.







#### VICTOR ARTHUR PARDI, D.D.S.

A life is made up of a great number of small incidents and a small number of great ones.

ROALD DAHL

"We are just the same underneath the shadows of the sun and we are just the same, no more no less than anyone ..."

ANN LENNOX, DAVID STEWART











## BOGDAN MICHAEL PAUNOVIC, D.D.S.









#### JOHN E. PURPURA, D.D.S.

"... And what a long strange trip it's been."





Thanks, Santa!



So . . . This is fourth year. . . .









#### SHERIF SAMI RADWAN, B.D.S., D.D.S.

Who did we run to when our patients needed root canal filling of a tortuous root — Sherif! Sherif joined our class in 1988 with a dental degree which he successfully completed in Egypt in 1982. Sherif will be best remembered driving 90 mph on a 30 mph drive, cutting up a rug with many of the ladies and enjoying life to its fullest with good friends and Tequilla. Best Wishes to All!









#### ALAN ROTHSTEIN, D.D.S.

To sum Alan up in one paragraph is a difficult task. He is witty and charming and the best friend anyone could ever ask for. A true Pisces: he is sincere and caring; lucky are the patients who step into his office. His interests include travel, basketball, and Star Trek but the day is just not complete without a dose of the NY Times crossword puzzle (including Sunday which he usually finishes).















MAGDY PHILLIPPE SAAD, D.D.S.



#### YIN-YIN SHANG, D.D.S.

Millions of thanks to my parents, sisters, husband, all of SDOS staff and patients. Without their love, support and guidance, this senior page would not belong to me.





Henry Jr. and Derek



## STACY ILYSE SOBEL WEEDON, D.D.S.









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### IMMI SONG, D.D.S.









## ELLIOTT MICHAEL WEIDMAN, D.D.S.

Elliott graduated from the University of Toronto with a B.Sc. in Microbiology. His claim to fame is that he waited until the first week of dental school to get married and took his new wife, Anita, for a four-year "honeymoon" on Haven Avenue. Upon graduation, Elliott plans to specialize in Periodontics and eventually do research and teach.









Anita, Thanks For Being There: \( \) Made It!!

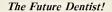




#### DWIGHT E. WILLIAMS, D.D.S., M.P.H.

Dwight E. Williams was born in Manchester, Jamaica on November 4, 1963. He attended Jamaica College and Campion College in Kingston, Jamaica. Between 1982-1986, he attended Boston University from which he graduated with Honors (Cum Laude). His hobbies are table tennis, soccer and he loves listening to Reggae music. Dwight plans to do a General Practice Residency and eventually wants to return to Jamaica to set up a practice.











#### SHIRIN YASREBI, D.D.S.

Shirin, pronounced Shereen, a Floridian since eight years of age was born in New York. She graduated from the University of Miami in 1986 with a B.S. in Biology. Shirin, a nationally top-ranked tennis player, gave up a life in professional tennis for Dentistry. Upon graduation from Columbia SDOS, Shirin plans to pursue a career in Pediatric Dentistry and return to Central Florida. She will always be remembered for her energetic smile, her greeting "hey!" and her bucket of tennis balls.

To my dearest parents: Thank you for your love and never-ending support. Without you both, none of this would

be possible. I love you, always.







CLIFFORD ZDANOWICZ, JR., D.D.S.















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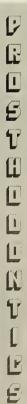
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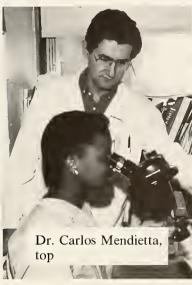






Members of the Laboratory of Oral Physiology in the division of Endodontics are engaged in research dealing with microcirculatory and sensory, or pain physiology of the dental pulp. The permanent research team includes S. Kim, M. Liu, J. Dorscher-Kim and K. Markowitz. In addition, the Laboratory is host to many foreign scholars, who typically spend a number of months at Columbia University and during the summer dental students are also involved in the laboratory activities. The most recent project is the study of the effects of CO laser on the pulp circulation using laser Doppler flowmetry. Results on this in vivo experiment will provide a basis for the usability of the CO laser in clinical dentistry from the point of view of the dental pulp. The main thrust of the Laboratory activity is to understand the biological mechanism of pulpal inflammation with the aim of developing new treatment methods for pulpal disorders.







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We are all very proud of your achievements and accomplishments and we look forward to your active involvement in your Alumni Association.



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Above: JOINT COLUMBIA-NEW YORK UNIVERSITY DENTAL ALUMNI MEETING; Row 1, seated 1. to r.: Dr. Paul Most, SDOS; Dr. Paul Spada, President, NYU Alumni; Dr. Daniel D. Epstein, President, SDOS Alumni; Dr. Charles Solomon, SDOS. Row 2, Standing, 1. to r.: Dr. Bob Fisher, NYU; Dr. Tony Mecca, NYU; Dr. Bill Sweden, NYU; Dr. Ray Dziejma, NYU; Dr. Renee Joskow, SDOS; Dr. Larry Salman, NYU; Dr. Ncil Kaplan, NYU; Dr. Sam Rudick, NYU; Dr. Arnold Silberg, NYU; Mrs, Olga A.C. Ibsen, R.D.H., Vice President, SDOS; Dr. Henry Amen, Secretary, NYU; Dr. Richard Lichtenthal, SDOS; George Stassa, M.D. Above Right: Students enjoy the annual Fall Picnic sponsored by the Alumni Association. Right: Alumni gather in Paradise Island for the Alumni Weckend in October, 1988. From left to right: Dr. Steven J. Scrivani, Jr.; Dr. Frank W. Pandolfo; Dr. Guy Metcalf; Dr. Charles Solomon; Dr. Marc Cohen; Dr. Anthony J. Curinga; Seated from left to right: Dr. Richard Lichtenthal; Dr. Dan Epstein; Dr. Richard A. Greenberg.





Below: A typical monthly Alumni meeting. From left to right: Dr. Stuart Epstein '74, Treasurer; Marty Mattler, guest; Mary Giannini, Vice President of Student Affairs at Columbia University; Dr. Daniel D. Epstein '56, President; Mrs. Ruth Lienhard, Executive Secretary; Mark Tenner '62; Dr. Steven Lepowsky '86, Secretary.



#### DEATAL ALUMAI







Below: ADA Cocktail Party at the Hilton Hawaiian Village, Honolulu, Hawaii, November 5, 1989. From left to right: Dr. Stan Freeman, Dr. Neill Serman, Dr. Dan Epstein, Dr. Jacob Abelson; Dr. Jerome A. Zane.





Above: From left to right: Dr. Jack Roth '71; Dr. Steven Rosenberg '75 Editor for Alumni Newsletter from 1990; Dr. Jim Abjanich '83; Alumni meet for a typical monthly assembly of members. Right: Alumni Weekend Seminar and ADA Meeting in Hawaii, November 2 to November 12, 1989. From left to right: Mrs. Ellen Epstein, Dr. Stan Freeman, and Dr. Dan Epstein.

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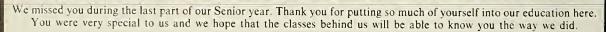


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To a caring, dedicated man:



All of Our Love, CLASS OF 1990 A BIG THANKS to Dean Thomas Cangialosi and Barbara Stewart for the enormous task of writing and sending out thousands of recommendations for the Class of 1990! Just to let you know your efforts were appreciated ... THANK YOU!





An Editor's Note: From Nancy Gnizak, Editor-In-Chief

This book was quite a feat. Little do you realize. It was a first for a lot of things. It was the first time we had a cohesive theme that included literature, the first time we included basic science courses starting with the first year of Dental School, and the first time we set out to include photographs of ALL faculty. Though we tried, we still could not get a complete photo album of each and every one instructor. Those part-time and ghost instructors were particularly a challenge to catch. But for all those instructors not included, we would like to apologize profusely.

I would also like to give special credit to my two co-editors, Jessica Chung and Gina Lodolini. If you only knew how many all-nighters we pulled to give you a book of which we all could be proud. I honestly can say this book contains the heart and soul of at least 5 people: Me (Nancy Gnizak), Jessica, Gina, Sheila Bahadori and Ken Lacks, the writer for our theme pages. Although this book did not come out in the Spring of our Senior Year, we think the results of the extra time spent were worth

it.

I also need to thank the heroic fund raising effort carried out by our business editor, Sheila Bahadori. This woman inspired more faculty support than in any other previous year, largely due to her charm, wit and perseverance. (WAY TO GO SHEILA! WAY TO GO FACULTY!) Her efforts, flanked by Lester LeBlanc, (WAY TO GO SHEILA! made the extras possible.

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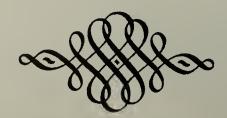
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We wanted a book that included all Seniors, that we would enjoy for years to come and that accurately recorded our feelings while in dental school. So ENJOY! We hope you like it.



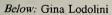




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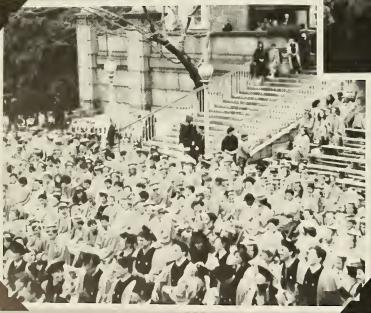
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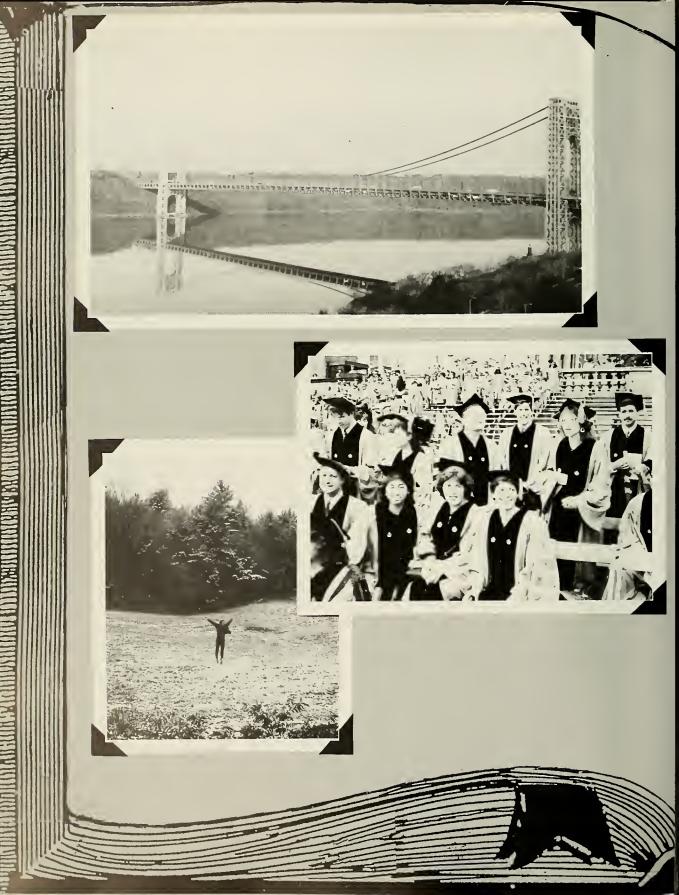












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